## MEDICAID FACTSHEET THERAPY SERVICES

Therapy Services Expenditures as % of Total Hosp/Med Exp:

SFY98: 1.74% SFY99: 1.85% SFY00: 2.05% SFY01: 2.18% SFY02: 2.14%

\*\*\* Therapy Services encompass Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, and Speech Pathology Services \*\*\*

Therapy Services provided according to physician referral to Medicaid eligibles under age 21 under the EPSDT Program

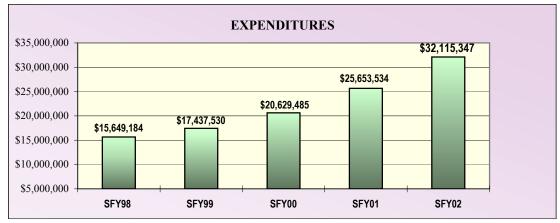
Individuals who have been admitted as an inpatient to a hospital and/or are residing in a nursing care facility are not eligible for occupational therapy, physical therapy, and speech pathology services under this program. Prior authorization is required for therapy services.

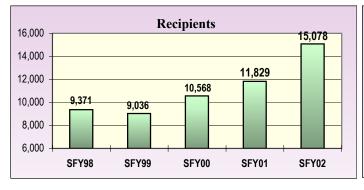
Scope of Therapy Services: Services covered only when these conditions exist...

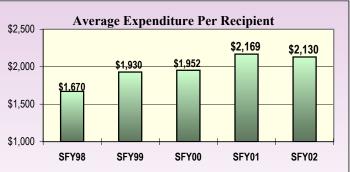
- 1. Services provided by appropriately licensed individuals enrolled as Medicaid providers.
- 2. Services provided as a result of a referral from the recipient's PCP or attending physician.
- 3. Treatment services must be provided according to a written prescription signed by the recipient's PCP or attending physician.
- 4. Treatment services must be provided according to a treatment plan or plan of care for the prescribed therapy.

Therapist Counts	Physical	Occupational	Speech
SFY02	Therapists	Therapists	Pathologists
Individual Therapists	494	381	721
Group Therapists	416	332	391
School Therapy	89	83	174









Source: DSS Reports; Medicaid Statistical Reports; Medicaid Provider Manual